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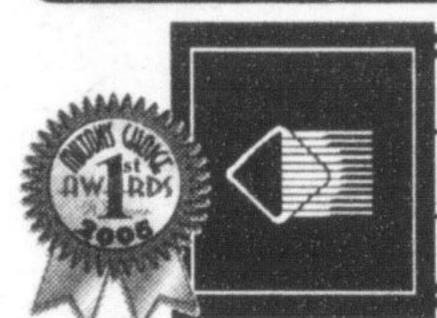
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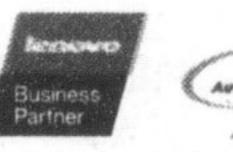


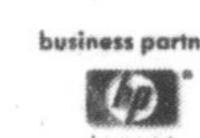
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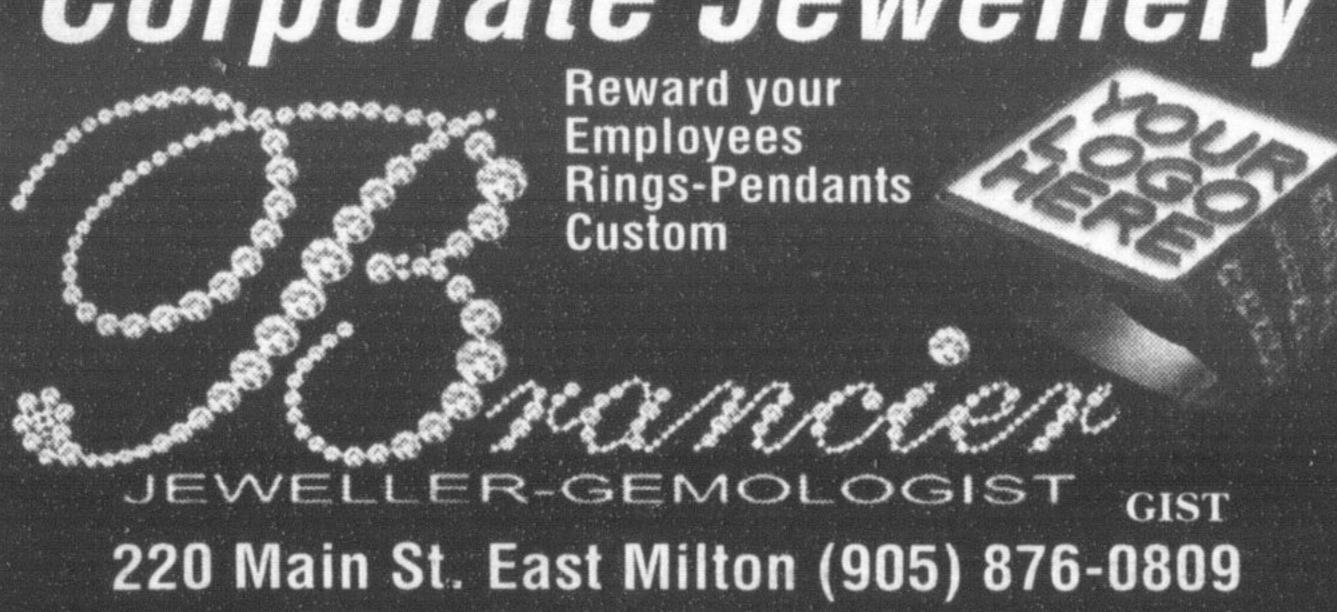


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President's Message

Rosa Martins

Wow! Hard to believe we are almost through 2008, and the holidays are upon us. Our business growth has provided us with lots of shopping choices - so spend those holiday dollars at home, support the local business economy, and enjoy all that Milton has to offer.

It has been an extraordinary year for the Chamber of Commerce, I would like to thank our Board of Directors, and Committees that have donated their time and energy; to our members, thank you, for being part of the business community, and being involved! The Milton Chamber of Commerce works

for you, and represents you locally, provincially, and federally. The Chamber staff, Sandy Martin, Executive Director, Joanne Barrett, Barb Campbell, Krista Lenardon and Andrea Boyle also deserve a big thank you - their insight and dedication is an asset to the community, and to this Chamber!!

The Chamber has already been working on key events for next year, there are lots of good things to come. The Sports Celebrity Dinner will be held at RattleSnake Golf Club on January 20th. The Chamber has another incredible line-up of celebs - Jean Beliveau, Johnny Bower, Henri Richard, Sandy Hawley, Randy Waples, Mike O'Shea and Evanka Osmak as Master of Ceremonies. Don't miss out on this very popular event, order your tickets

Finally, on behalf of the Milton Chamber, I would like to wish all of you a wonderful holiday season.

Enjoy your families and friends. Peace and health to all.

Upcoming Networking Events

Contact the Chamber at 905-878-0581 for further information about these functions.

Milton Chamber of Commerce **Annual General Meeting**

Thursday, December 11, 2008 7:30 AM - 9:00 AMMilton Sports Centre, 605 Santa Maria Blvd.

Join us for coffee and elect your new Board of Directors for 2009. If you are unable to attend please send your proxy.

Breakfast with The Honourable Lisa Raitt - MP for Halton and Minister of Natural Resources

Tuesday, December 16, 2008

Granite Ridge Golf Club Registration 7:00 AM Breakfast 7:30 AM Members: \$40 (GST included) Potential Members: \$50 (GST included)

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Seventh Annual Sports Celebrity Dinner & Auction

Tuesday, January 20, 2009 Autographs: 6:00 PM Dinner: 7:00 PM

RattleSnake Golf Club Headliners: Jean Belaveau and Johnny Bower

January Business After Hours

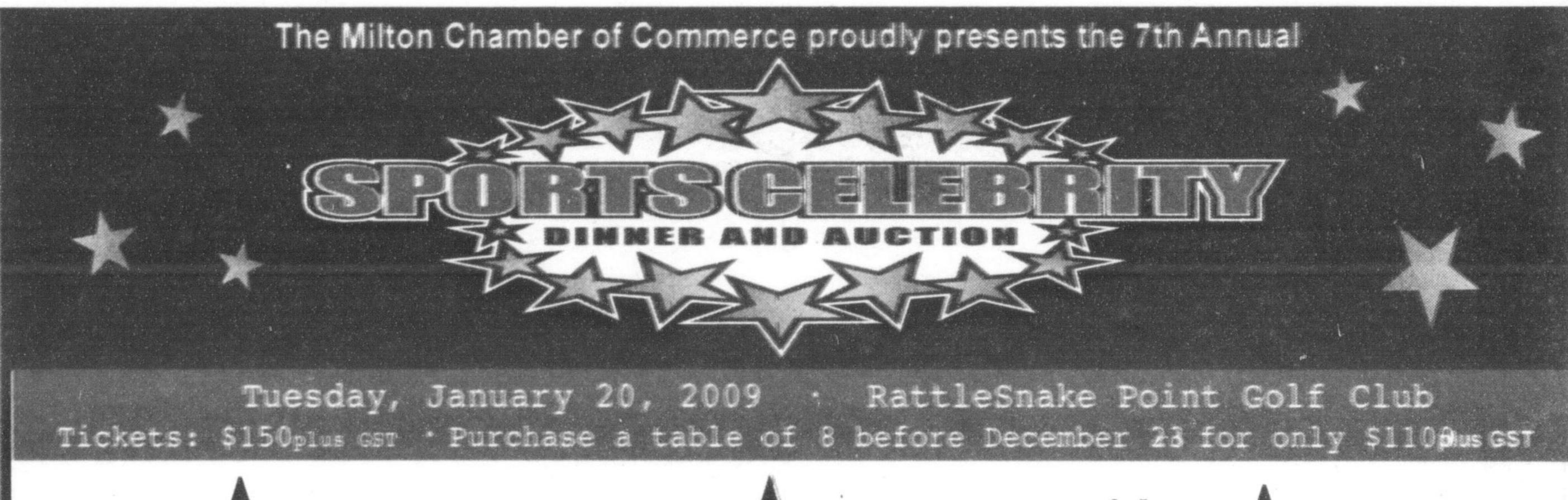
Tuesday, January 27, 2009 5:00 PM - 7:00 PMHosted by: Harrop Restaurant 345 Steeles Ave. E.

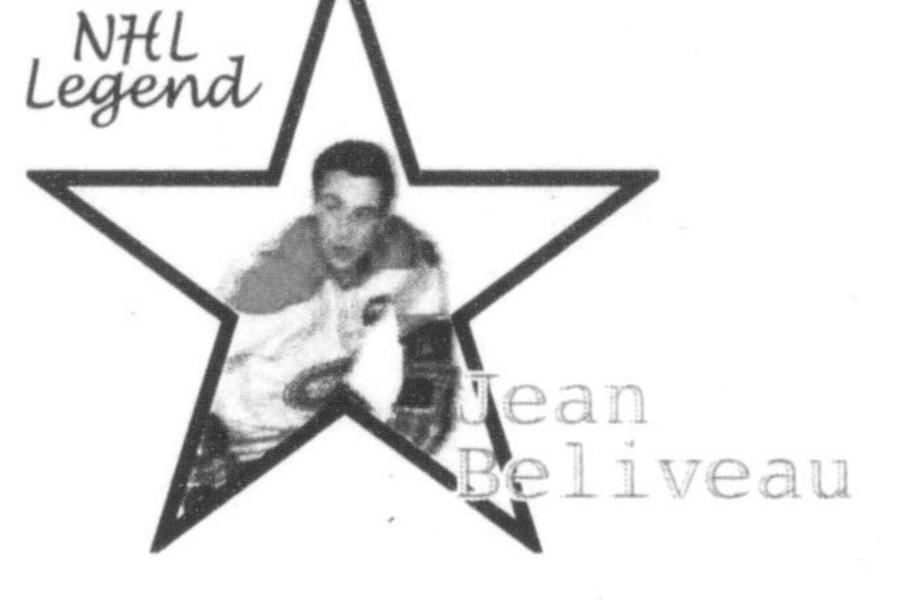
Mayor's Breakfast

Thursday, February 12, 2009 Registration 7:00 Breakfast 7:30 Granite Ridge Golf Club State of the "Town" Address

2008 Community Awards Gala Saturday, April 4, 2009 Granite Ridge Golf Club

It's never too soon to nominate a business person, business or citizen for the 2008 awards!









Also featuring Sandy Hawley, one of the greatest race-riders in Canada, hockey great Henri Richard, Mike O'Shea, 3-time Grey Cup winner and linebacker for the Toronto Argonauts, Master of Ceremonies from SportsNet Ontario Evanka Osmak, and local heroes the Milton Old Stars hockey team.

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